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## JAPAN'S REPLY GIVEN TO O'BRIEN

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

TOKIO, February 19.—Japan's reply to the American memorandum on immigration has been handed to Ambassador O'Brien.

It is believed that the Japanese government's proposals practically prohibit Japanese laborers from going to American soil, including Hawaii, Canada and Mexico.

## INSIST ON NATAL ACT

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)  
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., February 19.—Two Japanese have been arrested and sentenced to one year and a fine of \$500 for violating the Natal act. It is proposed to make the cases a test of the act.

## ATTACHED NEWSPAPER

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, February 19.—The Soto Shinbun, a local Japanese newspaper, was today attached for debt.

## INVESTIGATING CHANCE OF "STILL"

PINEAPPLE WASTE, PRODUCT  
THOUGHT TO BE VALUABLE  
FOR MAKING BRANDY.

R. G. Kellogg is looking into the possibilities of converting the waste product of the Wahluwa Consolidated Pineapple Company into brandy or spirits by distillation, as was suggested by U. S. Revenue Agent B. M. Thomas, some days ago.

The matter of making some use of the tons of parings and waste juices incidental in the canning of pineapples, has been the subject of consideration for a long time among the pineapple men, but heretofore nothing feasible has presented itself. Vinegar making was not a success owing to the high odor of the fruit which could not be eliminated.

P. C. Rossi of the Italian-Swiss Wine Company of California, and C. Shilling, of San Francisco, also interested extensively in the coast wine industry, who have been in the city for several weeks, have both taken an interest in the matter and have indicated that they would like to have an interest in the project to make brandy from the waste. Mr. Kellogg stated this morning that the matter will be decided so far as his company is concerned within a few days.

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## DANGER OF FLOODS

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)  
CINCINNATI, February 19.—The Ohio has risen until it has reached the danger line.

## 8 CRUISERS FOR FRISCO

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, February 19.—U. S. S. Nebraska, Captain Reginald F. Nicholson, is here from San Diego, and eight other cruisers are expected to make this port this week.

## FEW PARTICULARS ABOUT GROSSMAN

ANOTHER CABLE SAYING THAT  
HE WAS SHOT IN DISPUTE WITH  
A COOK.

Dr. Grossman received the following cablegram from San Francisco this morning:

"Jack killed in a dispute with a cook, funeral Friday."

"The cablegrams that I have received do not give me as much information as I would like to have," said Dr. Grossman. "I cannot understand who the cook is. It may be his own cook at his private residence, or it may be a cook for the large gang of men that are employed at rebuilding by the Crocker estate."

"I will not leave for the coast until I have word by mail. The tragedy has been so sudden that I am unable to think very correctly about it. Jack was always a very quiet fellow so it is hard for me to realize that he was shot down in cold blood. I hope that the wheels of justice will move quickly in San Francisco, and that the murderer will soon be where he belongs."

### PASSENGERS.

Arrived.

Per S. S. Hilonian, February 19, from San Francisco—E. F. Nichols and wife Charles Bop, J. A. Kennedy, E. Waldron, wife and 3 children, Mrs. J. W. Saunders and daughter, Miss Strayne, Mrs. A. Kroft, L. A. Thurston and wife, R. W. Shingle, H. Hauser, Mrs. T. Van Winkle and 12 steerage.

A meeting of the Floral Parade Judges is to be held tomorrow afternoon at three, at the Young Hotel.

A meeting of the governors of the Commercial club will be held this afternoon to decide on the plans for Washington's birthday.

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## ACTION BY THE PARTY

HAPAI, LOW AND SMITHIES FOR  
ASSESSOR AND HAPAI DOESN'T  
WANT IT.

Eben Low, Henry Hapai and George Smithies were endorsed for the position of tax assessor by the Republican Executive Committee, at a meeting held yesterday afternoon. These were the only three names before the committee and it is understood that one of them, Hapai, would not accept the proposition.

The endorsement was by the adoption of a resolution presented by Senator John Lane, and it was carried without opposition. M. T. Lyons, who had a petition out for the position, is said to have withdrawn as a candidate.

The committee discussed the matter of registering at primaries and decided in favor of the "open primary." This means that citizens may sign a precinct club roll of the Republican party at any time up to the hour of voting and be allowed to vote in the party primaries.

The resolution adopted is as follows:

"Whereas, The support which has been accorded to the Executive of this Territory in the past, and which is expected to be continued in the future, by the organization of the Republican Party of this Territory, justly entitles the organization to consideration in the matter of appointments to office; and

"Whereas, There exists a vacancy in the office of Assessor for the First Taxation Division; and

"Whereas, a delegation consisting of Republican leaders have recently submitted to Governor Frear for his consideration in approving of an appointment to said office, the names of E. P. Low, H. C. Hapai and G. E. Smithies; and

"Whereas, Governor Frear informed said delegation that, for several reasons, it has been his aim, and is his policy, in making or approving appointments to office, to give competent and honest Hawaiians the preference; "Be it Resolved by the Executive Committee of the Territorial Central Committee of the Republican Party of Hawaii, that E. P. Low, H. C. Hapai and G. E. Smithies do hereby receive the endorsement of this committee for appointment to said office;

"Resolved also that copies of this Resolution be forwarded to the Governor and the Treasurer of the Territory of Hawaii."

"JOHN C. LANE."

## FEDERAL TERM VERY BIG ONE

OVER A HUNDRED WITNESSES  
ALREADY SUBPOENAED FOR  
THE UNITED STATES COURT.

The U. S. Marshal's office force is busy serving subpoenas on witnesses to appear before the special federal grand jury which is called for next Monday. Up to the present time upwards of one hundred have been summoned.

The special term of the United States District Court will be a very important one and a number of cases of general interest are to be tried. The case of John Wynne, the oiler on the S. S. Rosecrans, who was indicted last term for the murder of Third Assistant Engineer McKinnon on the same vessel, will be tried, and a hard fight will no doubt be made. Thompson & Clemens have been retained by the Seamen's Union as attorneys for the defense.

Another of the "Mormon Cases" will come up from last term, in the trial of Melville M. Harmon, president of the Mormon church settlement at Laie, on charge of subornation of perjury. It will doubtless attract much attention.

The several charges against Jacob Rosenberg for receiving stolen junk from a gang of boy thieves, will result in a number of indictments; as will also the case of Koki, the postmaster at Kamuela charged with stealing a registered package of several thousand dollars in gold.

Edmunds Act cases will also be a part of the work in their usual number.

Best cup of coffee in the city. New England Bakery.

## MUST STOESSEL DIE?



Gen. Stoessel

LONDON, February 5.—A London news agency reports that General Stoessel has been sentenced to death for surrendering Port Arthur. It is impossible to get official confirmation of this statement from St. Petersburg.

## PASSENGERS GREET HONOLULU FROM AFAR

HILONIAN GETS INTO COMMUNICATION WITH HONOLULU EARLY  
THIS MORNING AND PASSENGERS SEND VARIOUS MESSAGES  
ASHORE—THURSTON, SHINGLE AND OTHERS HEARD FROM—  
FIRST PASSENGER LINER TO INSTALL WIRELESS APPARATUS

Barber's Point awoke this morning miles off shore. Weather fine and all to near Lahaina talking to the Matson well.

steamship Hilonian at sea, seventy miles out, as it developed later.

A little while and Barber's Point did some talking on its own. "The operator, whoever he is, on Johnson's boat, is a snapper," thought Barber's Point, for as last as Barber's sent ethergrams there came back the Hilonian's "RD—RD—RD" for "received," and it was a brisk spark that did the dainty business.

The Hilonian has had her long-looked-for wireless plant installed in San Francisco and now she's the queen of the Frisco-Honolulu run in point of intelligence, for she can shoot the tidings of her coming from afar.

And it took, the wireless, all right, all right, for from 7 o'clock this morning right up to the time the Hilonian was off port passengers aboard were ethergramming their friends and business representatives ashore and those ashore were shooting back aerial communications.

Here is the first official message sent by the Hilonian to her agents here:

Aboard Matson Navigation S. S. Hilonian at Sea.

Wednesday, Feb. 19, 1908, 8:14 a. m. Castle & Cooke, Agents, Honolulu: S. S. Hilonian due at Honolulu today at noon. At 7 a. m. today seventy

REPAIRS AT WAIMEA.

The Department of Public Works expects to immediately proceed with the repairing and partial reconstruction of the Waimea, Kaula, wharf, at an expenditure of something like \$3,000. The present derrick for handling freight is to be strengthened, and a new 2-ton crane installed for handling light freight, besides which freight sheds will be built at either end of the structure. The Waimea wharf is over 600 feet long, and the work to be done on it will greatly facilitate the handling of freight and passengers.

TRUNKS TWENTY-FIVE CENTS.

The City Transfer Co. has cut the baggage rate fifty per cent; trunks 25 cents to Young Hotel, Hawaiian Hotel and district within Richard, Beretania and River Sts. Phone 152.

AN ENTERPRISING MERCHANT  
K. Yamamoto is the biggest importer of Japanese goods in Hawaii. Every steamer from the Orient (tramp or passenger) brings him the largest shipment consigned to one firm. By getting his goods in large quantities the freight and other charges are greatly reduced which enables him to undersell all competitors.

B. F. Ehlers & Co. will hold their spring millinery opening on Thursday the 20th and following days.

## OFFERED STEAMERS

HAWAIIAN MAHOGANY LUMBER COMPANY TO MAKE REGULAR  
CONNECTIONS WITH SAN PEDRO—WILL PROBABLY ACCEPT  
TENDERS MADE BY THE MATSON COMPANY IN REPLY TO A  
CALL FOR BIDS RECENTLY MADE.

As a result of a report brought this no less than twenty-two companies, afternoon by L. A. Thurston and R. W. for the work of transporting the Shingle, who returned on the Hilonian mense supply of lumber contracted for and have been on the mainland trying here by the Santa Fe railway, to secure steamships to carry lumber. Eight of the twenty-two tenders for the Hawaiian Mahogany Lumber Company, a special meeting of the directors of the company will be held tomorrow morning, to consider a proposition whereby the Matson Navigation Company will recommend its adoption. The company will put on steamers at once, Matson Company agrees to start running to San Pedro.

Thurston and Shingle spent three days and nights in Los Angeles trying to get road ties contracted for. It is thought likely that the Matson Company's offer will be accepted at tenders, and there were responses from the meeting tomorrow.

## TO ABOLISH THE GARBAGE BUREAU

SUPERVISORS PLAN TO SETTLE FINALLY THE SAM JOHNSON PILI-  
KIA WAS READY FOR LAST MEETING—A RESOLUTION TO MAKE  
THE GARBAGE WORK A PART OF THE WORK OF THE ROAD DE-  
PARTMENT.

A counter plan, designed to ease the tender consciences of the members of the Board of Supervisors who argued that they are violating the law by letting Sam Johnson hold two offices (the garbage and road superintendent) was thwarted at the last meeting.

Chairman Hustace had in his pocket a resolution to formally abolish the Garbage Department and make garbage work a part of the Road Department's business. Archer had expected such a change of heart since the previous meeting that he had it readily consented to sign it, and had probably been brought out at the meeting so. Kealohe felt the drift of it tonight.

### HILONIAN DOCKS.

M. N. S. S. Hilonian, Captain Johnson, from San Francisco, announced by wireless 70 miles out early this morning, docked at the foot of Nuuanu at 2:20 o'clock this afternoon. Wireless Expert Robinson, who installed the plant on the Matson boat, is aboard and returns in the vessel. The Hilonian talked with San Francisco when 600 miles out.

William Savidge was this morning appointed administrator of the estate of Jacob Kaulas, deceased, as well as guardian of certain minor children. The estate in question is of about \$500 value.

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